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2800 MAIL ROOM

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yoshinori HAYASHI

SERIAL NO: 10/028,698

GAU: 2878

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EXAMINER:

FOR: OPTICAL SCANNING DEVICE DECREASING AMOUNT OF CHANGE IN RELATIVE SCANNING POSITION

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97

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Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information.

REFERENCES

- The applicant(s) wish to make of record the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are either statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references.
- A check is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p).

RELATED CASES

- Attached is a list of applicant's pending application(s) or issued patent(s) which may be related to the present application. A copy of the patent(s), together with a copy of the claims and drawings of the pending application(s) is attached along with PTO 1449.
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LIST OF RELATED CASES

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PER CLIENT	10/053,272	01/17/02	UNKNOWN
PER CLIENT	6,445,482	09/03/02	HAYASHI
198472US2	6,498,617	12/24/02	ISHIDA et al.
217049US2*	10/028,698	12/28/01	PENDING
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